

# T H E P R A D E

Or an Office Erected by

## Countenance and Allowance

Of His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, And the Most Honourable His Majesty's Privy Council of

## I R E L A N D;

For the Common good of all His Majesties Subjects in the General Advancement of Trade, in Dublin, For the most necessary Forreign Commodities, and also the Native Commodities; and Manufatures of this Kingdom in these Proposals, (*viz*).

1. **A**LL Persons that have occasion to take up Money at Common Interest, whether for greater or lesser Sums, may make their Addresses hither, and (giving good security,) be accommodated or supplied, as their particular occasions shall require.

2. All Persons that have Moneys by them, and are willing to put out any Sum greater, or lesser (upon good Security) at usual interest, shall be accommodated to their Content.

3. All Persons, either Merchants, Factors, Traders, or Seamen, who do import into this Kingdom Forreign Commodities (keeping no Shop) may Register the particular kinds, quantities, and sorts of all such Commodities, that so there may be Care taken to finde out such persons from time to time, as may buy the same, to serve both Buyers and Sellers, that deal by Wholesale or Retail.

4. All such persons as have any quantity of Wooll to be Sold, either in City or Countrey; and also all others who would Buy any quantity of Wooll, (more or less,) may make Entry thereof accordingly, That so there may be Care taken to finde out such Persons from time to time, as may Buy the same, and Trade by Wholesale for greater quantities.

Where 5. All persons may Register such Lands, Houses, Leases, or Goods which they have to Sell, Mortgage, or Set, with the particulars thereof, That so there may be Care taken to finde out such Persons from time to time, as may Buy the same, to serve both Buyers and Sellers.

6. All Merchants, Factors, or Traders whatsoever, that would Buy Tanned Leather, Green or Raw Hides, and Skins of all sorts, from Tanners or Fellmongers of the Countrey or City, or Yarn, or Frizes, &c. or such as have any quantity of Butter, Cheese, Tallow, or hard Soap, or any other the Native Commodities of this Kingdom to sell, (being unwilling to go about to Offer the same,) may enter the same here, with such particulars as are requisite to accommodate both Buyers and Sellers.

7. All Sea-Captains, Owners, Masters of Ships, Barks, and Vessels, who are Employed in Trade here, and may sometimes want a Freight or Seamen to be Employed hence, &c. (or in any his Majesties Ports or Havens in this Kingdom) for short or long Voyages, paying the Postage and Fee of Twelve pence may be helped therein if he or they enter their names and burthen of their Ship or Vessel here, The like Fee of Twelve pence for Entry in any the other particulars.

8. All Merchants, Factors, or Traders, who would Freight any Ship, Bark, or Vessel out of any Port aforesaid in order to Trade, may here get intelligence therein to Accommodate both parties.

*Which said Office is kept at the House (formerly known by the Old Letter Office) On Cork-Hill in Dublin, where all persons whatsoever may make their Resort, by themselves or their Agents, as they shall have occasion in any of the particulars aforesaid, to make use of this Office for Intelligence in a such affairs to their satisfaction, And may be assured all possible Care and Diligence will be used to be them therein, and that all their affairs shall be kept secret, and managed, as to their most Content and Advantage.*

By Henry Burnett Gent.